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SUBURBAN NEWS.

Happenings of Interest in Our Neighbor Towns.

AT ADAMS TODAY.

Last Dance of the Forest Park Assembly Club—The Berkshires to Shut Down Again—In Court This Morning—Baptist Entertainments—Other Local Items.

ASSEMBLY CLUB'S FINAL.

A Brilliant Affair at Forest Park Pavilion Friday Evening.

The Forest Park Assembly club held the last of a very pleasant series of dances at Forest park pavilion, Friday evening. It was a full dress affair and the decorations were more elaborate than on the previous occasions. Palmer's full orchestra furnished music and the people from out of town spoke of the excellency of its work.

A ladies apartment was set apart with trees and flags, near the main entrance at the east end, and at the west end was stationed the orchestra in an apartment screened off by trees. The patronesses' corner was prettily arranged with rugs and carpets, and Japanese lanterns galore made the whole effect a striking one.

A program of twenty-two dances was carried out and refreshments, served by Caterer Hammond were enjoyed at midnight. The dance orders were elaborate, having cream white covers with the club monogram embossed in gilt in the center.

The following is a list of out-of-town guests: Miss Myrtle Kimball, Haverhill; Miss Ellen Balch, Boston; Miss Bessie Ingersoll, Springfield; Miss Mabel Blood, Cheshire; Miss Grace Allen, Albany, N. Y.; Miss Pickards, Williamstown; Miss Brown, Buffalo, N. Y.; Miss Pierson, Plainfield, N. J.; Miss Sykes, Atlanta, Ga.; Misses Canfield, Arlington, Va.; Miss Battle Camp, Boston; Mrs. Walter Gibbs, Pawtucket, R. I.; Misses Florence Cuddy, Stella Cady, Winifred Barber, Pauline Russell, Alice Barnes, Janet Hunter, Mary Thompson, and Ida Boynton, all of North Adams, Mass.; Mrs. Hawkins, Archer, Clark and Gamewell, Pittsfield; Edward Wilson, Holyoke, Mass.; Mr. Baker, Buffalo, N. Y.; Robert Schuyler and Charles Howland, Blackinton; F. H. Smith, Westfield; William Arnold, Calvin Lenz, Clarence Reynolds, Clifford Foster, Clifford Strong, Eugene Babcock, Wallace Richmond, Harry Rosenberg, R. A. Thompson, Frank Watson, George McDonald and Mr. and Mrs. William Blythe, North Adams.

The patronesses were Mrs. A. F. Knight, Mrs. A. B. Mole, Mrs. W. B. Plunkett, Mrs. C. T. Plunkett, Mrs. W. S. Jenks, Mrs. E. J. Noble.

The young men of the club are deserving of much praise for the result of their efforts and the event may well be called the social affair of the season for Adams people.

Baptist Entertainments.

Dr. Diaz, the Cuban philanthropist who was banished by the Spaniards for lending his sympathies to the insurgents, is making a lecture tour of America and will speak at the Baptist church, Tuesday evening on the Cuban situation and life in Cuba.

Prof. George E. Thorpe, formerly of this town and now an eminent musician of London, Eng., is coming to Adams within a few days and will arrange a concert for some evening this month probably the 20th. Mr. Thorpe is a splendid vocalist and other artists will be engaged so that the concert will be a great success.

The Berkshire's to Shut Down.

The Berkshire mills will shut down to-night and will not resume operations again until a week from Monday. The cause of this shut down is the instability of the market.

In Court This Morning.

D. B. Cook was in court this morning on a complaint made by the board of health for not connecting with the sewer. The case was continued a week.

A Polander was fined \$5 for drunkenness.

Patrick Heffernan of Spring street met with a slight accident while at his work in the Greylock shirt shop Friday morning.

The young man's hand was caught in a machine and the fingers were crushed although not badly.

Real Estate Agent J. Byron Richmond has sold to F. S. Todd for F. S. Dudley, a house and lot on Summer street. The price paid was \$1500.

Thomas P. Cassidy is visiting friends in North Adams.

Joseph Spitzer and family of Fitchburg are visiting relatives at Renfrew.

Pete McBride will pitch for the Renfrew Monday morning against Blackinton.

The Forest Park drum corps is speedily getting ready for campaign work and will order a uniform at once.

A Republican club after the pattern of the "white platoon," of four years ago, is to be organized.

Col. W. H. Phillips graphophone entertainments at the old post office site to be given Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday afternoon and evenings will be well worth hearing. The list of productions includes over 100, fine speaking, band, instrumental, solo, quartet and song selections. Major McKimley's Canton speech on finance and Bryan's Crown of Thorns and Cross of Gold speech will be given.

The entertainments are always delightful and should be heard by a large number.

Frank E. McNulty will spend Labor day in Hudson, N. Y.

Allie Hewitt has gone to Boston for a short visit.

The 9.05 express train south will stop at Renfrew Monday morning to enable people from that part of the town to go to Pittsfield.



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reports the potato crop light and rotting some.

Arthur Brown, stopping here from Richmond, Mass., is in charge of the large Bathmore ice company of that place. He states the state of ice there is closely sold up.

The firm is connected with put up 250 thousand tons a year.

Irving Norton of Lynn has been in town the past week. He was a school boy here but a few years ago.

Mrs. M. A. Farrar went home to Boston today.

A party of city people from Cheshire Inn visited Southern Berkshire Friday.

L. B. Wood will begin elder making next week. There are plenty of apples in some orchards.

Depot street was the scene of the efforts of several lady amateur bicycle riders Friday.

A butcher shop will soon be opened in the old postoffice rooms by A. N. Terry of North Adams.

The late arrivals at the Cedars are F. Beach and A. L. Brown of New York, W. H. Boughton and wife, son and daughter, and Stanley Chadwick of Brooklyn, and C. T. Roberts of Hartford, Conn.

Rev. Dr. Green and wife of Petersham are stopping at Dr. L. A. Martin's.

There was a light frost last evening.

Henry Roncoe and son Harry returned from the Cambridge fair Friday evening where the boy gave the best of satisfaction in his exhibits of fancy and trick bicycle riding.

The Troy papers were loud in his praise. The two started today for Raymond, N. H., to spend the day tomorrow with Henry's brother, and will exhibit at Tilton, N. H., the coming week.

Benjamin Cummings will go to Wilbraham to school September 10.

The darkness of the streets at night makes it almost unsafe for pedestrians. Not a street lamp from one end of the village to the other save a very few private lights. This shows a great lack of public spirit which is an actual necessity for safety.

WILLIAMSTOWN.

Mrs. Catherine White and three children returned to Boston today after a three weeks' visit to relatives in town.

The new Hill and Dale golf club house opened today.

Miss Nellie Doolittle of Hemlock Lake, N. Y., is spending a few weeks in town visiting relatives and friends.

Miss Fanny Burdick has returned to her home in Collinsville, N. Y.

Dr. and Mrs. Sweet returned last evening from their wedding tour to Lake George, N. Y. Dr. and Mrs. Sweet will live in Petersburg, N. Y.

Rev. William Slade and family returned yesterday after a month's absence.

B. H. Sherman attended the Cambridge fair yesterday.

There is a great deal of complaint against the cold spring water these days.

GREYLOCK.

During the shut down at the mill next week repairs will be made to the water wheels.

Harry Baldwin and wife left today for a weeks visit with friends in Pawtucket.

Frank Bashford is visiting friends in Manville, R. I.

POWNA.

Miss Carrie Parker, our assistant P. M. who has been visiting in Chatsworth, N. Y., returned Friday.

Miss Florence Ellwood of Fort Plain, N. Y., is visiting her aunt, Mrs. R. A. Burlingame.

Hubert Arnold has successfully passed his examinations for entering the Williamstown high school and will commence his studies Tuesday morning.

M. P. Cornwell of Patterson, New York, is visiting Arthur G. Parker.

The mill was compelled to shut down Friday afternoon, owing to some trouble about the wheel. It was repaired at once and the mill ran today as usual.

J. W. Gardner and Elijah Barber with their wives have gone to the metropolis for a week.

TO CURE HEADACHES.

Simple Remedies That Will Bring Speedy Relief to Sufferers.

"A hot bath, a stroll in the fresh air, shampooing the head in weak soda water or a simply nap in a cool, quiet room," will sometimes stop a severe headache," writes Dr. B. F. Horrick in Ladies' Home Journal. "When over-fatigued from shopping or sightseeing, a sponge dipped in very hot water and pressed repeatedly over the back of the neck between the ears will be found exceedingly refreshing, especially if the face and temples are afterward subjected to the same treatment. Neuralgia is caused not only by cold air, but by acidity of the stomach, staid nerves, imperfect teeth or by indolence combined with a too generous diet. Heat is the best and quickest cure for this distressing pain. A hot fomentation, passed rapidly and deftly over several folds of flannel laid on the affected spot, will often give relief in less than ten minutes without the aid of medicine. Hot fomentations are of equal value, though when the skin is very tender it is more advisable to use dry heat, nothing being better for the purpose than bags of heated salt, flour or sand, which retain warmth for a long time. Cold water, applied by the finger tip to the nerves in front of the ear, has been known to dispel neuralgia pain like magic. When caused by acidity, a dose of charcoal or soda will usually act as a corrective. Sick headache is accompanied by bilious symptoms, and attacks usually come on when the person is over-eat or below par physically. This is a disease of the first half of life and often stops of its own accord after middle age. A careful diet is imperative in every case, sweetmeats and pastry being especially pernicious.

"Eating heartily when very tired, late dinners, eating irregularly, insufficient mastication or too much animal food, especially in the spring or during the hot weather, is a frequent cause of indigestion, causing headaches by reflex action."

A FORGOTTEN CHAPEL.

It Was Walled Up In the Vatican Despite Its Beautiful Decorations.

The oldest decorated walls in the palace are those by Fra Angelico in the chapel of Nicholas. For some reason or other this chapel at one time ceased to be used, the door was walled up, and the very existence of the place was forgotten. In the last century Bottari, having read about it in Vasari, set to work to find it, and at last got into it through the window which looks upon the roof of the Sistine chapel. The story, which is undoubtedly true, gives an idea of the vastness of the palace, and certainly suggests the possibility of many forgotten treasures of art shut up in forgotten rooms.

One other such, at least there is. High up in the Borgin tower, above the stanze of Raphael, is a suite of rooms once inhabited by Cardinal Bibbiena, of the Chigi family, and used since then by more than one assistant secretary of state. There is a small chapel there, with a window looking upon an inner court, which was once the luxurious cardinal's bathroom, and was beautifully painted by Raphael in fresco, with mythological subjects. In 1885, according to Crowe and Cavalcaselle, Passavant saw it as it had originally been, with the frescoes, though much damaged, still beautiful, and the marble bath still in its place in a niche painted with river gods. In one of the Vatican's periodical file of prudery the frescoes were completely hidden with a wooden wainscot, the bathtub was taken away and the room was turned into a chapel. It is believed, however, that the paintings still exist behind their present covering.—F. Marion Crawford in Century.

Flowers That Cheered Not.

His "man" is not a well trained example of British imperturbability, but a boy from the southern plantation where he himself was born and bred. Consequently there are frequent interchanges of confidence between master and servant, and the former has the advantage of the latter's unbiased judgment and unclouded action on many subjects. The other day the employee was ordered to purchase and carry flowers to a certain lady who was ill. In the course of a few days came her thanks for "the bunch of immortalis sent," whereupon the nominal sender of the funeral offering summoned his agent, and with choice invective, demanded to know why immortalis had been taken to a sick woman.

"Well, Master Sewell," explained the purchaser of the poy, "you say anything that's purty. Dese year you purty, en de man say dey last fur oval, en I cule'lated dat deys cheaf enuff so I can pay de laundry wif de change. I'm shuh I thought I wex actin fu de bes'."

And the employer reflected on the disadvantages of having a servant with views of his own.—New York Journal.

New Mining Explosive.

Miners are becoming interested in a new mining explosive described by Professor F. Kleinberg of Geneva, which is being introduced in Australia. The name given to it is dahnrentite A, and the strength is said to be 35 per cent greater than the best gelatin dynamite, and in consequence of the large volume of gas which it produces—being approximately double that yielded by dynamite—it has a wedging rather than a pulverizing action, resulting in a materially increased fall of lump coal. Other advantages mentioned are that it can be compressed without losing any of its explosive force, and in this state is claimed even to exceed dynamite. A weaker detonator is required to bring it to explosion than is demanded for any other known safety explosive, and it is better able to withstand the effects of storage, and no decomposition can take place when the packing is proper. Indeed, such is the safety with which it may be handled that the German railways allow it to be carried on any train.

Kindly Old Gnome.—Well, my little man, what would you like to be when you grow up?

Little Man—"I'd like to be a nice old gentleman like you, with nothing to do but walk about and ask questions."—Pico No 17.

ORCHIDS GUARDED BY OODS.

Plants Worth a Fortune That No Man Was Able to Approach.

There died about a year ago a famous orchid hunter named Fosterman. But before he died he told of a wonderful orchid which he had seen in Brazil, and which it had been the ambition of his life to secure.

Landing on the coast of Brazil, a few degrees south of the equator, he met a native chief, who told him of a "village of the demon flowers" to the westward. Further questioning convinced him that the "demon flowers" were orchids of the rarest and most wonderful kind, so he decided to find this village at any cost.

He had traveled through forests about six weeks and was calculating that in a fortnight more he would be in the neighborhood of the village of the "demon flowers," when, one afternoon, three of his forward guards threw up their arms, and, with a yell, fell senseless to the ground.

He had noticed a peculiar, sickening odor pervading the heavy, heated air, and quickly gave the order for the other men to advance with caution and drag back the three fallen ones from the spot where they lay.

They did so, and, returning, reported that they had seen through the forest a little farther on the vast "village of the demon flowers."

Accompanied only by his Portuguese interpreter, the orchid seeker started forward, their mouths and noses stuffed as a safeguard against the awful odor. They managed to reach the spot where the three men had been stricken down, but could go no farther.

They could see, 100 yards ahead of them, a great mass of orchids. These undergrowth and everything were loaded down with them. There were of hues more brilliant than he had ever seen or dreamed of seeing.

But, like a barrier, the wall of awful, sickening, overpowering odor rose between them.

The mass of brilliant orchids might have been a mirage painted on the clouds so far as reaching them was concerned. The "village" was perhaps an acre in extent, and the two made a complete circuit of it, but everywhere rose the awful odor.

The odor was simply the perfume of this vast mass of orchids. It is a curious fact that, though many orchids are almost scentless, the handsomest ones have a most unbearable smell.—San Francisco Chronicle.

Blight and Rot of Grapes.

Blight and rot of grapes and peaches have become quite general, owing to the hot, damp weather. It will be surprising if the potato crop is not seriously blighted also. The New England Homestead reports that "the peach crop in the Maryland and Delaware peninsula has been practically ruined, and the eastern buyers are scouring the peach orchards of western Maryland, Ohio and Michigan in hopes of making contracts before fruit growers in those sections realize the situation. It is too early yet to ascertain the precise extent of damage to the grape crop, but it is likely to be large."

ECHOES FAR AND NEAR.

Down One Street and Up Another, From Every Ward in North Adams.

Our representative called on Miss Minnie Wade at 18 Echivue avenue and from her gathered the following facts. They will interest a great many of our readers. She spoke as follows:—"My kidneys have troubled me since I was a child. In fact I can hardly remember when they did not. Very much of the time I have been so utterly miserable that I could do nothing. A weak back and backache hung to me most of the time, accompanied by a depression and tired feeling that unfitted me for anything. Dizziness, headache and urinary difficulty were added to my trouble and I certainly was in bad shape. The impressive statements in the city papers referring to cures of kidney disease made by Doan's Kidney Pills induced me to give them a trial. I had used many remedies before, and I had employed physicians who treated me for the kidneys but I received little or no benefit."

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